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**Subject:** Information Request - City of East Chicago

Mike:

Just as a follow up to our discussion yesterday, the City of East Chicago has asked that we reiterate their urgency for getting a timely response to our request for information. I understand from yesterday's discussions that you expect to rely on a response from your contractor in order to attain this information, but if it would be possible to get a response either today or tomorrow, that would be appreciated. We are available to discuss further on a conference call, if that would be helpful.

Again, our primary objective is to obtain relevant information supporting the current \$30 million cost estimate associated with the Zone 1 remediation. In particular, we are interested in the underlying assumptions, unit rates, quantities, etc. associated with the latest cost estimate for implementation of the 2012 ROD. We are also interested in viewing information concerning any unusual or extraordinary remediation costs related to performing the remedial activities within a large number of relatively small residential yards in close proximity to residential buildings.

We expect that this information will be useful as we continue to evaluate potential alternate remedial approaches for the City of East Chicago that would not rely on a future residential land use.

Feel free to contact me with any additional questions. Thanks.

Mike

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